



Docket No. 1317.1014CIPCIP

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Jung-Kwon HEO

U.S. Serial No.: 09/618,731

Examiner: C. Onuaku

Confirmation No. 9566

Filed: July 18, 2000

Group Art Unit: 2616

For: APPARATUS AND METHOD FOR RECORDING DATA ON A DVD-AUDIO DISK

**LETTER TO THE EXAMINER REQUESTING CONSIDERATION OF TIMELY FILED  
AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
PO Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

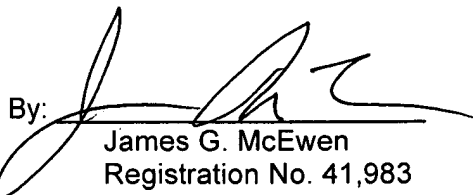
Further to a review of the instant application in the Patent Application Information Retrieval (PAIR) system, it appears that the status of the application is incorrect and does not reflect the timely filing of an Amendment responsive to the Office Action. As such, please find enclosed a copy of the Amendment as filed on November 23, 2004, and which is stamped indicating receipt on that date.

It is respectfully requested that the Amendment be entered and that the PAIR status be changed to indicate filing of the same.

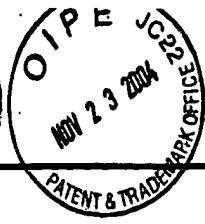
If the Examiner has any remaining issues to be addressed, it is believed that prosecution can be expedited by the Examiner contacting the undersigned attorney for a telephone interview to discuss resolution of such issues.

Respectfully submitted,

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**REPLY/AMENDMENT  
FEE TRANSMITTAL**

<b>AMOUNT ENCLOSED</b>	88.00	Attorney Docket No.	1317.1014CIPCIP
		Application Number	09/618,731
		Filing Date	July 18, 2000
		First Named Inventor	Jung-Kwon HEO
		Group Art Unit	2615
		Examiner Name	C. Onuaku

**FEE CALCULATION (fees effective 10/01/03)**

CLAIMS AS AMENDED	Claims Remaining After Amendment	Highest Number Previously Paid For	Number Extra	Rate	Calculations
TOTAL CLAIMS	43	- 43 =	0	X \$ 18.00 =	\$ 0.00
INDEPENDENT CLAIMS	13	- 12 =	1	X \$ 88.00 =	88.00

Since an Official Action set an original due date of November 26, 2004 (November 25, 2004 being a Federal Holiday), petition is hereby made for an extension to cover the date this reply is filed for which the requisite fee is enclosed (1 month (\$110)); (2 months (\$430)); (3 months (\$980)); (4

If Notice of Appeal is enclosed, add (\$340.00)

If Statutory Disclaimer under Rule 20(d) is enclosed, add fee (\$110.00)

Information Disclosure Statement (Rule 1.17(p)) (\$180.00)

Total of above Calculations =

\$ 88.00

Reduction by 50% for filing by small entity (37 CFR 1.9, 1.27 & 1.28)

TOTAL FEES DUE =

\$ 88.00

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(2) If entry (2) is less than 20, change entry (2) to "20".

(4) If entry (4) is less than entry (5), entry (6) is "0".

(5) If entry (5) is less than 3, change entry (5) to "3".

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- ☒ Check enclosed as payment.
- ☐ Charge "TOTAL FEES DUE" to the Deposit Account No. below.
- ☐ No payment is enclosed and no charges to the Deposit Account are authorized at this time (unless specifically required to obtain a filing date).

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- ☒ If the above-noted "AMOUNT ENCLOSED" is not correct, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to credit any overpayment or charge any additional fees necessary to:
- Deposit Account No. 19-3935
- Deposit Account Name STAAS & HALSEY LLP
- ☒ The Commissioner is also authorized to credit any overpayments or charge any additional fees required under 37 CFR 1.16 (filing fees) or 37 CFR 1.17 (processing fees) during the prosecution of this application, including any related application(s) claiming benefit hereof pursuant to 35 USC § 120 (e.g., continuations/divisionals/CIPs under 37 CFR 1.53(b) and/or continuations/divisionals/CPAs under 37 CFR 1.53(d)) to maintain pendency hereof or of any such related application.

SUBMITTED BY: STAAS & HALSEY LLP

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This is responsive to the Office Action mailed August 25, 2004, having a shortened period for response set to expire on November 26, 2004, November 25 being a Federal Holiday.

The following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted.

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